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SUBJ: VENEZUELAN SONG FESTIVAL

REF: STATE 154524; CARACAS 6701-C

1. NO FEES BIENG OFFERED BY FESTIVAL, BUT FESTIVAL WILL PAY TRAVEL AND PERDIEM. USIS COULD PAY THE FEE OF \$1,000 TO \$2,000 FOR TOP PERFORMER.
2. FESTIVAL TAKES PLACE ONE EVENING, ABOUT THREE HOURS IN LENGTH.
3. AMERICAN PERFORMER WILL BE EXPECTED TO SING ONE OR TWO SONGS, ONE PERFORMANCE. USIS WILL ATTEMPT ARRANGE LOCAL TV APPEARANCES ON COMMERCIAL PROGRAM, WITH TV PAYING FEE.
4. POPULAR SINGER SUCH AS HARRY BELAFONTE, ROBERTA FLACK, TONY BENNETT, NANCY WILSON.
5. FESTIVAL VERY IMPORTANT, WITH BACKING OF THE PRESIDENCY. VERY SELECT AUDIENCE IS GUARANTEED, AT 150 BOLIVARES A SEAT. EACH TV CHANNEL IS REPRESENTED BY FOUR SINGERS. GUEST SINGERS WILL APPEAR ALONG WITH VENEZUELAN ENTRIES. RAY CHARLES PERFORMED IN 1970 FESTIVAL.
6. NAMES OF OTHER PARTICIPANTS WILL BE FORWARDED WHEN AVAILABLE.

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7. PLEASE COORDINATE EFFORTS WITH STEVE DACHI, ILA USIA.
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